

National Breast Cancer Foundation

Pink Sky Grant Scheme 2026

Application Identifier:	
Project Title:	
Duration of grant	
Requested total budget	

Contact Details (Administering Institution)

Administering Institution

Administering Institution	
ABN	
Entity Legal Name	
Main business location	
Date business registered	
GST registration status	
Physical Address	

Administering Institution Contact Person

Name	
Email	
Position	
Telephone	

Principal Investigator

Principal Investigator

Name	
Email	
Host Institution	
Department	
Position	

Eligibility Criteria

Does the Administering Institution applying for the grant have an ABN, be registered for GST?

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Is the proposed project located/managed/operated under the auspices of a university, a hospital or a major research institution(s) located within Australia?

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Is the Principal Investigator an Australian citizen/resident or have the appropriate working visa?

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Is this the Principal Investigator's one and only application for this round of the Pink Sky grant?

Is the proposed total budget equal to or less than AU\$500,000 over a maximum period of 3 years?

Does the proposal relate to one or more of the four Pink Horizon Research Strategy core objectives: Prevent, Detect, Stop and Treat?

Enter the Pink Horizon Research Strategy core objective(s): Prevent, Detect, Stop and Treat that apply to this application

Assessment

1. Proposal Summary (300 words maximum)

Please provide a lay language summary describing the intent, significance and potential of your high-risk high-reward research proposal

2. Innovation and Transformation Statement (300 words maximum)

Please provide a statement describing the novel concepts, methods, technologies and/ or creative approaches and how these will be applied to breast cancer for the first time to change current understanding

3. Scientific Rationale and Feasibility Statement (500 words maximum)

Please provide a statement outlining the underlying scientific rationale, hypothesis and methods of the proposed project, as well as on risk mitigation strategies

Please complete the following Project Plan:

Milestone number	Milestone	Project year	Start date	Finish date

Provide any links to references (5 references maximum):

4. Translation and Impact Statement (300 words maximum)

Please provide a statement describing the expected next steps for the research beyond the grant period, and how the proposed research will accelerate progress towards the NBCF vision of Zero Deaths from breast cancer

5. Consumer and Stakeholder Engagement Statement (300 words maximum)

Please provide a lay language statement describing how people with lived experience of breast cancer and other relevant stakeholders will be involved in the research proposal and how research outcomes will be shared with and benefit the target population

6. Team Capability and Capacity Summary (300 words maximum)

Please provide a summary describing the specific expertise and resources required to achieve the proposed research outcomes, including any collaborations

Project personnel

Name	
Host Institution	
Department	
Position	
Project role	
Commitment (%)	
ORCID number	

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Budget

Budget category	Year 1 (\$)	Year 2 (\$)	Year 3 (\$)	Total requested (\$)
Project costs subtotal				
Salaries subtotal				
Personnel subtotal				
Total project year cost				

Certification

Declaration

PI must acknowledge and check all boxes in order for their application to be considered.

I, the Principal Investigator, declare that:

- All the details supplied in this application form and in the attached documents are true and correct.
- I have read the accompanying guidelines and information to applicants provided with this application form and meet the general eligibility criteria.
- NBCF will be contacted immediately if any information provided in this application changes or is incorrect.
- NBCF reserves the right to contact Administering Institutions to confirm the application has been reviewed and approved.
- The Administering Institution and the Head of the relevant Department which will host the Project have approved the application and authorised the Applicant to submit the Application.
- The Administering Institution agrees that, if NBCF offer to fund the Project, the subject of the application, the Administering Institution will enter into the Funding Agreement and perform the Project on the terms of the Funding Agreement.
- To the extent the Project involves Collaborating Institutions, the Administering Institution is aware it must obtain the Collaborating Institution's agreement that they will perform their part of the Project on the terms of the Funding Agreement.
- I meet the Eligibility requirements outlined in the guidelines.
- I understand that if the proposed project (or similar project) is concurrently submitted to another research funder and is successfully funded, I will inform NBCF.
- Pre-existing IP does not form a major foundation of the project. I understand that if pre-existing IP forms a major foundation of the project, the project will be considered ineligible (as described in the Applicant Guidelines).

Declaration of Originality and Non-Duplication

To the best of your knowledge, is the research you are submitting for funding under the Pink Sky scheme not duplicative of any research currently underway Nationally or Internationally?

Please provide a brief explanation to support your response.

Name	
Institution	
Position	
Date	

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